UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

IN RE: NEW ENGLAND COMPOUNDING PHARMACY, INC. PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL No. 2419

Master Dkt. 1:13-md-02419-RWZ

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:

All Actions

LEAD COUNSEL'S MOTION TO APPEAR TELEPHONICALLY

Pursuant to MDL Order No. 4 [Dkt. 86], Lead Counsel hereby moves the Court for leave to appear telephonically at the July 28, 2016 status conference.

The next MDL status conference is set for Thursday, July 28, 2016, at 2:00 p.m. As previously indicated to the Court at the last status conference, Lead counsel, Thomas M. Sobol and Kristen A. Johnson, will both be attending a firm matter on the west coast. Ms. Annika Martin will appear at the status conference on behalf of the Plaintiffs' Steering Committee. However, Mr. Sobol respectfully requests the Court's permission to participate by telephone to apprise the Court of the status of the claims process.

Dated: July 25, 2016 Respectfully submitted,

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I, Thomas M. Sobol, hereby certify that I caused a copy of the foregoing to be filed

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the Court's electronic filing system may access these filings through the Court's system, and

notice of these filings will be sent to these parties by operation of the Court's electronic filing

system.

Dated: July 25, 2016

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